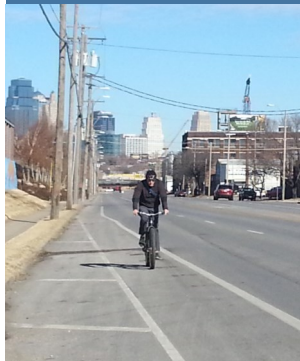


New pavement markings for bicyclists are showing up around Kansas City

HERE'S WHAT THEY MEAN FOR DRIVERS



1. BIKE LANE

- Exclusive lane for bicyclists
- Typically on the right side of the street between the adjacent travel lane and curb
- Do not cross solid lines
- Use extra caution when lane is painted green
- Okay to cross over the bike lane to turn when the line is dashed



2. SHARED LANE

- Indicates where bicyclists should ride in the travel lane shared with cars
- Share these lanes carefully with bicyclists
- Give bicyclists at least three feet when passing



3. BIKE BOX

- Designated area for bicyclists at the head of a traffic lane at a stop light
- Provides bicyclists with a safe and visible way to get ahead of queuing traffic during red signal phase
- Cars should not block the box



4. CYCLE TRACKS

- Bike lanes that are physically separated from cars and distinct from the sidewalk
- May be one-way or two-way, at street or sidewalk level
- Offers higher level of safety than bike lanes appealing to the broader public